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7 October 1987

MAU - 7013

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, FBIS  
FROM : Chief, Vienna Bureau  
THROUGH : Chief, Operations Group  
SUBJECT : Monthly Report - Austria Bureau - September 1987

I. GENERAL

Ambassador Ronald Lauder announced at the regular monthly staff meeting (7 October) that he will be departing Austria 27 October. He provided no estimate on when his successor might be confirmed and arrive to take up his post.

II. OPERATIONS

A. Monitorial/Editorial

1. Coverage of GDR leader Erich Honecker's historic visit to the FRG and his subsequent trip to Bulgaria, the visit of Vice President George Bush to Poland and the developing Agrokomerc scandal in Yugoslavia helped push the bureau's publishable wordage for the month back up to a more "normal" 734,570.

2. Bureau LAN users received a severe scare on the 16th when the system crashed totally, damaging and disabling several individual PC's in the process. While technicians sought the cause of the problem, monitors, editors, and communicators quickly regrouped and established a "sneaker net" using floppy disks that allowed the bureau to operate at nearly its normal pace. The LAN was brought back up late the following day when it was discovered that contractors doing renovation work in the Hungarian section had inadvertently cut into a LAN cable and an adjacent telephone line, allowing excessive voltage to enter the LAN system. The damaged cable was not discovered initially because the perpetrator had reinserted the damaged portion of cable into the wall ducting. ✓

3. Visits to the Bureau during the month by two Production Group officers and two Headquarters analysts provided opportunity for useful discussion of coverage and requirements with editors and monitors.

**B. Communications**

When alerted at mid-month by the Daily Report that much of the bureau's file transmitted over the primary circuit was being received [ ] with extensive garbles, local checks of the communications circuit were begun. The location of the fault was eventually narrowed down to the ACP 127 to JANAP 128 conversion process at the [ ] switch. However, the exact nature of the defect [ ] had not yet been determined and tests were still underway at month's end to identify the faulty piece of equipment. In the meantime, all of the bureau's copy is being filed (in JANAP 128 format) via the VCVF to London Bureau for entry into the Autodin system, thus temporarily bypassing the source of the problem.

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Copies of a Gorbachev PRAVDA article and of Shevardnadze's speech at the UN General Assembly, originally filed by London Bureau, were retrieved from bureau files and made available to CSCE representatives in Vienna at their request.

**III. ADMINISTRATION****A. Personnel**

1. The Embassy announced 8 September State Department approval of a salary increase for all FSN employees effective 19 July. A copy of the new Embassy wage scale was faxed to Headquarters 22 September for PMCD review.

2. The Embassy Financial Management Center finally got its VS-100 computer system back on line during the month. Voucher processing time has returned to normal.

3. Albanian monitor [ ] and Bulgarian monitor [ ] executed new EOT agreements to 2 September 1989 and 10 September 1989 respectively. Associate Editor [ ] received a PSI to FBN-11/07 effective 27 September.

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**B. Building and Grounds**

1. A comprehensive security survey of the Bureau by a Headquarters security officer 16-18 September resulted in a number of recommendations, some of which are already being implemented.

2. Construction designed to expand the Albanian, Hungarian and Bulgarian monitor rooms was completed during the month. The results have been well received by the occupants.

#### IV. VISITS

##### A. To the Bureau:

Headquarters Czech analyst [redacted] 4 September; USSR Division IO [redacted] 23-26 September; and [redacted] from Analysis Group and ELAAD respectively, 28-30 September. STAT  
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##### B. From the Bureau

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Bureau Chief and Deputy Chief to MBFR 25 September for discussions on reporting requirements.

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Chief, FBIS Austrian Bureau

cc: Chief, FBIS London Bureau

##### Attachments:

Production Report  
Staff Personnel Report  
Non-Staff Personnel Report

## Austrian Bureau Production Report for September 1987

## I. TOTALS FROM ALL SOURCES:

TOTAL PUBLISHABLE WORDAGE FILED DURING MONTH:	734,570
TOTAL NON-PUBLISHABLE WORDAGE FILED DURING MONTH:	20,650
TOTAL NUMBER OF PUBLISHABLE ITEMS FILED DURING MONTH:	1,462

	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
II. INPUT OF REGULAR COVERAGE: (minutes or issues per mon	12,300 min.	15,865 min.	325.99 issues

## ALBANIA

Tirana Domestic Service in Albanian	10,410		
Tirana ATA in English		6,310	
Tirana BASHKIMI in Albanian			0
Tirana DRITA in Albanian			0
Tirana PUNA in Albanian			230
Tirana RRUGA E PARTISE in Albanian			4,260
Tirana ZERI I POPULLIT in Albanian			2,500
Tirana ZERI I RINISE in Albanian			0

## AUSTRIA

Vienna Domestic Service in German	4,800		
Vienna ORF TELETEXT in German	1,080		
Vienna Television Service in German	1,810		
Vienna NEUE AZ in German			1,270
Vienna DIE PRESSE in German			7,070
Vienna KURIER in German			4,930
Vienna NEUE KRONEN ZEITUNG in German			1,530
Vienna PROFIL in German			880
Vienna VOLKSSTIMME in German			790
Vienna WIENER ZEITUNG in German			8,490

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	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
<b>BULGARIA</b>			
Sofia Domestic Service in Bulgarian	11,790		
Sofia BTA in English		26,220	
Sofia ANTENI in Bulgarian			0
Sofia LITERATUREN FRONT in Bulgarian			0
Sofia NARODNA ARMIYA in Bulgarian			4,940
Sofia NARODNA MLADEZH in Bulgarian			440
Sofia NOVO VREME in Bulgarian			0
Sofia OTECHESTVEN FRONT in Bulgarian			5,390
Sofia POGLED in Bulgarian			2,880
Sofia RABOTNICHESKO DELO in Bulgarian			29,120
Sofia STURSHEL in Bulgarian			0
Sofia TRUD in Bulgarian			6,940
Sofia ZEMEDEL'SKO ZNAME in Bulgarian			1,120
 <b>CHINA</b>			
Beijing International Service in Albanian	0		
Beijing International Service in Serbo-Croatian	0		
 <b>CZECHOSLOVAKIA</b>			
Prague Television Service in Czech	720		
Prague Television Service in Slovak	0		
Prague LIDOVA DEMOKRACIE in Czech			0
Prague MLADA FRONTA in Czech			2,400
Prague NOVA MYSL in Czech			0
Prague PRACE in Czech			8,790

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	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
Prague RUDE PRAVO in Czech			67,620
Prague TRIBUNA in Czech			2,530
Prague VECERNI PRAHA in Czech			130
Prague ZEMEDEL'SKE NOVINY in Czech			4,400
Bratislava PRAVDA in Slovak			39,180
Bratislava ROLNICKE NOVINY in Slovak			0
Bratislava SMENA in Slovak			4,740
Bratislava VECERNIK in Slovak			100
FRANCE			
Paris AFP in English		48,510	
Paris ZNAKI CZASU in Polish			0
GDR			
East Berlin BERLINER ZEITUNG in German			3,510
East Berlin DER MORGEN in German			0
East Berlin EINHEIT in German			1,140
East Berlin HORIZONT in German			0
East Berlin NATIONAL ZEITUNG in German			0
East Berlin NEUE ZEIT in German			0
East Berlin NEUES DEUTSCHLAND in German			71,670
East Berlin NEUER WEG in German			0
HUNGARY			
Budapest Television Service in Hungarian	0		
Budapest KULPOLITIKA in Hungarian			0
Budapest MAGYAR HIRLAP in Hungarian			21,240
Budapest MAGYAR NEMZET in Hungarian			330

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	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
Budapest MAGYARORSZAG in Hungarian			850
Budapest NEPSZABADSAG in Hungarian			27,550
Budapest NEPSZAVA in Hungarian			1,490
Budapest PARTELET in Hungarian			0
Budapest TARSADALMI SZEMLE in Hungarian			0
ITALY			
Rome ANSA in English		18,260	
POLAND			
Warsaw KULTURA in Polish			0
Warsaw NOWE DROGI in Polish			0
Warsaw POLITYKA in Polish			5,170
Warsaw PRZEGLAD KATOLICKI in Polish			1,730
Warsaw RZECZPOSPOLITA in Polish			36,830
Warsaw RZECZYWISTOSC in Polish			0
Warsaw SLOWO POWSZECHNE in Polish			0
Warsaw SZTANDAR MLODYCH in Polish			3,720
Warsaw TRYBUNA LUDU in Polish			23,250
Warsaw ZOLNIERZ WOLNOSCI in Polish			7,220
Warsaw ZYCIE PARTII in Polish			1,340
Warsaw ZYCIE WARSZAWY in Polish			1,360
Krakow TYGODNIK POWSZECHNY in Polish			1,240
ROMANIA			
Bucharest Domestic Service in Romanian	12,360		
Bucharest AGERPRES in English		46,060	



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	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
Bucharest AGERPRES in French		0	
Bucharest ERA SOCIALISTA in Romanian			0
Bucharest LUMEA in Romanian			150
Bucharest ROMANIA LIBERA in Romanian			0
Bucharest SCINTEIA in Romanian			34,100
USSR			
Moscow in Albanian to Albania	0		
Moscow in Bulgarian to Bulgaria	0		
Moscow in Macedonian to Yugoslavia	0		
Moscow in Romanian to Romania	0		
Moscow in Slovene to Yugoslavia	0		
Moscow ISTORIYA SSSR in Russian			0
Moscow KOMMUNIST VOORUZHENNYKH SIL in Russian			12,750
Moscow KOMMUNIST in Russian			0
Moscow MEZHDUNARODNAYA ZHIZN in Russian			0
Moscow MIROVAYA EKONOMIKA I MEZHDUNARODNYYE OTNOSHENIYA in Russian			0
Moscow OBNCHESTVENNYYE NAUKI in Russian			0
Moscow PARTIYNAYA ZHIZN in Russian			0
Moscow PLANOVOYE KHOZYAYSTVO in Russian			0
Moscow POLITICHESKOYE SAMOOBRAZOVANIYE in Russian			0
Moscow PROBLEMY DALNEGO VOSTOKA in Russian			0
Moscow PROBLEMY MIRA I SOTSIALIZMA in Russian			2,340
Moscow RABOCHIY KLAS I SOVREMENNY MIR in Russian			0
Moscow SOTSIOLOGICHESKIYE ISSLEDOVANIYA in Russian			0

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	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
Moscow SSHA: EKONOMIKA, POLITIKA, IDEOLOGIYA in Russian			0
Moscow VOPROSY EKONOMIKI in Russian			0
Moscow VOPROSY FILOSOFII in Russian			0
Moscow VOPROSY ISTORII KPSS in Russian			7,770
Moscow VOPROSY ISTORII in Russian			0
Moscow VOYENNO-ISTORICHESKIY ZHURNAL in Russian			0
Kiev PRAVDA UKRAINY in Russian			10,930
Kiev RADYANSKA UKRAINA in Ukrainian			2,330
YUGOSLAVIA			
Belgrade Domestic Service in Serbo-Croatian	11,180		
Pristina Domestic Service in Albanian			0
Pristina Domestic Service in Serbo-Croatian			100
Belgrade Television Service in Serbo-Croatian			0
Belgrade TANJUG DOMESTIC SERVICE in Serbo-Croatian		0	
Belgrade TANJUG in English		0	
Belgrade BORBA in Serbo-Croatian			28,600
Belgrade KOMUNIST in Serbo-Croatian			0
Belgrade NARODNA ARMIJA in Serbo-Croatian			510
Belgrade NIN in Serbo-Croatian			0
Belgrade POLITIKA in Serbo-Croatian			8,740
Belgrade SOCIALIZAM in Serbo-Croatian			0
Ljubljana DELO in Slovene			2,720
Novi Sad DNEVNIK in Serbo-Croatian			0
Pristina RILINDJA in Albanian			1,710

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	BROAD- CASTS	PRESS AGENCIES	PUBLI- CATIONS
Sarajevo OSLOBODJENJE in Serbo-Croatian			0
Skopje NOVA MAKEDONIJA in Macedonian			0
Titograd POBJEDA in Serbo-Croatian			0
Zagreb DANAS in Serbo-Croatian			0
Zagreb VJESNIK in Serbo-Croatian			0